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1. DEPARTMENT SHARES EMBASSYS UNDERSTANDING, AS SET OUT

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PARA 6 REFTEL, THAT CLEAR DISTINCTION EXISTS BETWEEN "REVIEW"

AND "REVISION" IN CONTEXT OF NPT REVIEW CONFERENCE.

2. ALTHOUGH THERE EXIST NO LEGAL INHIBITION TO CANVASSING PROPOSED AMENDMENTS AT REVIEW CONFERENCE, USG POSITION IS THAT SCOPE OF THE CONFERENCE SHOULD NOT INCLUDE ATTEMPTS TO REVISE NPT. TREATY SPECIFIES CONFERENCE BE CONVENED "IN ORDER TO REVIEW THE OPERATION OF THIS TREATY WITH A VIEW TO ASSURING THAT THE PURPOSES OF THE PREAMBLE AND THE PROVISIONS OF THE TREATY ARE BEING REALIZED."

3. SINCE NO AMENDMENT TO NPT CAN COME INTO EFFECT WITHOUT APPROVAL OF A MAJORITY OF STATES PARTY TO TREATY, INCLUDING THAT OF ALL NUCLEAR-WEAPON STATES AND ALL OTHER PARTIES MEMBERS OF THE IAEA BOARD OF GOVERNORS AT DATE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT CIRCULATION, USE OF REVIEW CONFERENCE AS FORUM FOR TREATY REVISION AGAINST WISHES OF ANY NUCLEAR WEAPON STATE PARTY MAY BE CONSIDERED TO BE IMPRACTICAL AND UNREALISTIC. THIS VIEW SHARED BY MANY STATES PARTY REPRESENTED AT RECENT NPT PREPCOM. KISSINGER

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